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DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

I, Dazhi Chen, hereby declare that:

1. I am over 18 years old, am the former CEO of MonkeyRules.com, Inc., and have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein.
2. I purchased dining gift certificates from various restaurants that were redeemable at any time at the restaurant's location(s). I believe I auctioned the dining gift certificates on the online auction sites www.eBay.com and/or www.amazon.com around May 1999 and June 1999, advertising the dining gift certificates as redeemable with specific day and/or time restrictions. The auctioning activity did not occur prior to April 1999.
3. I am not aware of any online restaurant-to-consumer auction sites that were in service prior to May 30, 1999.
4. I am not aware of any business plans pertaining to any MonkeyRules models prior to May 30, 1999.
5. I am not aware of any promotional/sales/investment presentations for utilization/selling any MonkeyRules models prior to May 30, 1999.
6. To the best of my recollection and knowledge and after searching, I am not aware of any correspondence to outside parties describing the MonkeyRules models prior to May 30, 1999.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or patent issued thereon.


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